

REMARKS

The Examiner has interposed a restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121 and requires Applicant to elect a single disclosed species.

Applicant elects the species set forth in group I, namely an energy information system as shown in Fig. 2, upon which claims 25-29, 35-42, 45 and 48-51 are readable. This election is without traverse to the extent that it is understood that (a) the requirement will be withdrawn upon the finding of a patentable genus; and (b) any species withdrawn from consideration will be transferred to the elected subject-matter unless it is found patentably distinct from the elected or allowed claims.


CONCLUSION

Applicant believes that Applicant has fully responded to the Examiner's concerns and that all of the pending claims are in condition for immediate allowance. Applicant requests that any questions concerning this matter be directed to the undersigned at (609) 896-3600.

Please charge any deficiency and/or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1943. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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